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Warsaw, June 7.

UPon the Advices that come from several parts, that the Turks and Tartars advance towards our Frontiers, the Palatine of *Russia*, Lieutenant-General of the Forces of this Kingdom (who is now at *Leopol*) has issued his Orders, to the several Troops in those Quarters, to repair to *Trembowla*, where he designs to form a Camp. The Conferences with the Moscovite Ambassadors, are in the mean time continued, but we do not hear Matters are brought to any head.

Berlin, June 19. The Marquis *de Baden* the Imperial Envoye, has with some difficulty (because he came from parts Infected with the Plague) been permitted to come hither. He has left all his Retinue at a place three Leagues from hence, to perform a Quarantain The news of the Elector of *Saxony*'s illness continues. The Last Letters brought an account of the Plagues being broken out at *Lipsick*.

Francfort, June 22. The French having three several times summoned the Castle of *Falkenburg*, and been as often answered by the Commander there, That he would not betray the Trust reposed in him by the Elector Palatine, to whom the said Castle belongs, they have bethought themselves another way to oblige the Elector to deliver it to them, and that without any act of Hostility, and that is, by sending 2 or 3000 Men to Quarter upon his Subjects, which they have accordingly done, Treating them after that rate, that it is impossible for them to bear it.

Francfort, June 26. The Bishop of *Bamberg* is raising 1200 Men, to recruit the Regiments he has now on foot; and we are told, that he has offered to raise some Troops for the service of the Emperor, provided he furnish him with Money to do it. The Elector of *Mentz*, has by his Minister at *Ratisbonne*, represented to the Dyet, that he could not think himself safe at *Mentz*, because of the neighborhood of the French Troops, and that therefore he had removed his richest Goods, and retired himself from thence.

Spire, June 24. Monsieur *de Monclar*, Lieutenant-General for the French in *Alsace*, having writ a Letter to the Elector Palatine, wherein he tells him, That the King his Master being declared by the Treaty of *Munster*, Soveraign of all the *Lower Alsace*, as far as the River *Queich*, and that the Castle of *Falkenburg* being scituated in the Countrey belonging to his Majesty, he expected his Electoral Highness would withdraw the Garrison he has at present there; his Electoral Highness answered, That he was so far from withdrawing the Garrison, that he had sent Orders to the Commander there, to defend the place to the last, which he had done with a better Right, than he, Monsieur *Monclar* had to attempt to take it from him. And at the same time we understand, that a *Manifesto* has been published by Order of his Electoral Highness, wherein is made appear, how ill-grounded this pretension of the French is. But fair means not having prevailed, Monsieur *de Monclar* is going to make use of Force; having already Invested the said Castle of *Falkenburg*, and brought several Cannon and Mortar pieces to Batter it; but the Castle is very strong, scituated upon a high Hill, and the Garrison has been reinforced, so its probable, the French will find it no easie work to take it. *P. S.* It is just now reported, that the French have begun to batter it.

Cologne, June 28. Four days since arrived here Prince *William* of *Furstemberg*, with few Attendants; he is Lodged with his Brother the Bishop of *Strasburg*. Most people are very curious to know the occasion of his coming, which if we may believe what has been writ in some Letters from *Paris*, is, to confer with several Princes of the Empire, and to endeavour to perswade them to enter into some new Engagements with *France*; if this be his Commission hither, it's believed he will hardly succeed in it; for our Elector is so sensible of what his Countreys suffered in the late War, that we may be confident he will not make any steps, that may tend to the disturbing the peace they now enjoy. The French threaten the Countrey of *Juliers* with Military execution, in case they do not speedily satisfy the Arrears of Contributions, which they pretend, amounts to 150000 Crowns. Our Advices from above tell us, that the Palatinate suffers extreamly by the French, who, because the Elector refuses to deliver to them the Castle of *Falkenburg*, Treat his Subjects very hardly, and live at their cost.

Hamburg, June 26. There are several Discourses concerning the King of *Denmark*'s coming into these parts, and the designs of it; and many are of opinion, that one of them is, to get the 50000 Crowns which he pretends of the City and Countrey of *Embden*, for Winter Quarters, during the late War; and that it is in order thereunto, that several Troops march that way; and of this the Dukes of *Lunenburg* have so far a jealousie, that they have promised those of *Embden* to stand by them, and even to assist them with their Forces, if there be occasion. From *Stockholme* they write, that they were preparing there for the Reception of the King and Queen.

Hamburg, June 28. From *Stralsond* we have the sad account of the greatest part of that City being destroyed by a Fire that happened there some days since. The trouble which this news gives us, is increased, by the Advice we have, that the Plague is broke out at *Leipzick*. There have been several Reports of the Elector of *Saxony*'s death, but they have